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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Durbin, et al.

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Attention: I. Clark, Examining Group 2600

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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Applicant encloses herewith a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time, and hereby responds to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on February 9, 2001 in connection with the above-captioned application for patent as follows:

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that on the date shown below, this RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION, consisting of two (2) pages and a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION (CPA) of one (1) page, with authorization to charge filing fees and surcharge to Deposit Account, are being deposited with sufficient postage with t he United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

June **4**, 2001

John H. Sherman, Reg. No. 16,909

- (1) Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1190 in the amount of \$ 840 to cover the surcharge and basic filing fees. A duplicate copy of the RESPONSE is enclosed for accounting purposes.
- A Petition for Two-Month Extension of time is enclosed herewith. (2)

The Commissioner is hereby requested to grant any needed extension of time and to charge any additional fees, which may be required for this response, or credit any overpayments to Account No. 14-1190. A duplicate copy of the RESPONSE is enclosed.

- An Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted herewith. (3)
- Please note the enclosed Change of Correspondence Address. (4)
- A copy to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application is attached (5) herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

June 4. 2001

Date

John H. Sherman, Reg. No. 16,909

Attorney of Record

- Enclosures: (1) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts
  - (2) Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time
  - (3) Information Disclosure Statement
  - (4) Change of Correspondence Address (PTO/SB/122)

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